



YOUR CHECKLIST

Before you arrive at CATS you will need to bring some important documents and a few essential items. Check off the items on this list as a reminder of what to bring.



PASSPORT AND PROOFS

- Passport (with visa if required).
- CAS statement (confirmation of acceptance for studies) or COE (certificate of enrolment).
- Proof of financial support any study fees that you've already paid.



SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

Originals (not photocopies) of the supporting documents for your visa application, plus evidence of finances used for your visa. These will be listed on your CAS Statement.



PARENTAL CONSENT FORM

Your parental consent form, completed by your parents or guardians.



FUNDS FOR THE FIRST TWO WEEKS

You will need funds for your arrival and first two weeks at College to cover books and taxis, most students will need around £100. If you are self-catered you will need around £250.



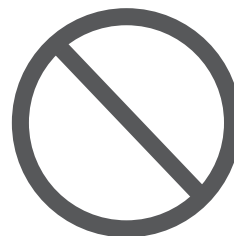
CLOTHING

Bring clothing for all weather conditions. Consider when you are next going home and whether you need clothes for all seasons straight away.



UK POWER ADAPTER

Bring a sufficient UK power adapter for your electronic items.



MEDICATION

- Any medication you need to take
- Carry a letter (translated into English) from your doctor explaining what the medicine is and what it is for .
- Bring any prescriptions for glasses or contact lens

TRADITIONAL DRESS (CAMBRIDGE ONLY)

We have an International day every year at CATS Cambridge. We encourage you to bring traditional dress from your home country, and anything else that may be of cultural interest.

YOU DO NOT NEED TO BRING

BED LINEN

- This will be provided in your Boarding House.

LARGE AMOUNTS OF CASH

- Do not carry this on you or in your personal belongings.

UNINSURED HIGH VALUE ITEMS

- We advise against bringing any uninsured high-value items such as jewellery or expensive watches.to the College Nurse directly.



LAPTOP OR TABLET

- Students can choose their device but it should be able to type up essays, carry out research, connect to a printer and have Microsoft Office installed as an English language version.

We recommend the following:

- 13" screen
- A keyboard which can be used for essay writing
- 4GB Ram, Intel I3 processor (or equivalent) and a 500GB HDD
- WiFi enabled
- MS Windows with the MS Office portfolio of applications, or Apple Mac equivalent, as an English language installation
- Those students who wish to use Apple products will need to ensure that they have a Microsoft account that enables them to use MS Office online: <https://account.microsoft.com/account>
- <https://products.office.com/en-gb/office-online/documents-spreadsheets-presentations-office-online>

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